

1: SPEECHES DCI

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

1. This memorandum recommends action in paragraph 7.
2. Your speech has been cleared by the State Department and USIA.
3. They both request that you insert, on page 10, the phrase, "and to some extent we do" so that the first sentence of the second paragraph will read:

"In this field we should and to some extent we do, find ways of taking advantage of the great possibilities open to us."

4. Both State and USIA feel very strongly that on page 11 you should delete so much of the last sentence as reads, "such as France, Italy, Greece and others" and substitute for the deleted part the following: "in the Free World." State particularly objected, saying that their Geographic Desk did not like just this part.

5. On page 19 where you quote Lenin as having said, "The road to Paris lies through Peking", USIA and State say there is no record that they could find that Lenin actually did say this and you may care to state that he is "reported" to have said it.

6. On page 22 in the next to the last sentence which reads, "we in the West", State and USIA request that that be changed so as to read, "we in the Free World", or "we in the Atlantic area."

7. RECOMMENDATION: That you agree to the changes.

8. Both State and USIA wish to congratulate you on the very fine use of words in your speech. They say your speeches are quite in contrast to some from the Defense Department and State showed me some examples. The USIA plans to make overseas use of your speech.

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cc: MGT (w/o attach)